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## **REFINING CHEMICAL RISK ASSESSMENTS (Cont.)**

## **OPTION 3** Current Process

| 30 days | 30 days | 30 days | 30 days | 60 days |
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| Agency<br>Releases<br>Preliminary Risk<br>Assessment | Review and<br>Comment by<br>Registrant | Agency Revises<br>Preliminary Risk<br>Assessment | Review and<br>Comment by<br>Registrant | Agency Revises<br>Preliminary Risk<br>Assessment | Agency releases initial risk assessment for individual chemicals |
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## OPTION 4 Registrant Consultation (error correction only), FR Notice and Public Comment

|   | 30 days 30 days |  | 60 days  | Up to 9   |
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| Agency releases<br>preliminary risk<br>assessment | COMMONT NV      | Agency corrects<br>errors in<br>preliminary risk<br>assessment | FR Notice of Availability, Preliminary Risk Assessment of<br>Individual Chemicals;<br>Public review and comment on preliminary risk assessment | Agency reviews con individual chemical risk individual chemical risk risk managen |

End of public comment period on risk assessment





nments and updates assessment; releases assessment; develops nent proposal

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